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SUBJECT: TRADE AGREEMENT SIGNED WITH CHINA

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1. LOCAL PRESS REPORTED APRIL 6 STATEMENT OF MINTRADE
U/SEC SALAH TOLLAN, AFTER HIS RETURN FROM 23-DAY OFFICIAL
VISIT TO CHINA AND VIETNAM.

2. ACCORDING TOLLAN, 114 MILLION DOLLAR TRADE PROTOCOL
SIGNED WITH PRC MARCH 21. PROTOCOL, WHICH IS UP 10.8
MILLION DOLLARS FROM 1976, IS PART OF LONG TERM TRADE
AGREEMENT. HEADLINED PRC EXPORTS TO EGYPT INCLUDE
\$17 MILLION WORTH TEXTILES AND WOLLEN BLANKETS (DOWN 18.2
MILLION FROM 1976) AND \$7 MILLION TEA, FROZEN CHICKENS,
AND MEAT. BALANCE WILL BE MADE UP PARTLY OF \$8 MILLION
TOBACCO, \$2.5 MILLION BICYCLE SPARE PARTS, \$3.5 MILLION
METALS, \$1.6 MILLION STATIONARY AND APPROXIMATELY \$.5 DRY
BATTERIES. EGYPT WILL EXPORT \$57 MILLION, INCLUDING
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COTTON, PHOSPHATES, MEDICINES, RICE, CITRUS FRUITS AND
SOME INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS. AGREEMENT ALSO SETS UP \$8.5
MILLION EXCHANGE CREDIT ACCOUNT FOR FACILITATION OF TRADE.

3. TOLLAN ALSO ANNOUNCED LONG TERM TRADE AGREEMENT WITH
VIETNAM INCLUDING MOST FAVORED NATION CLAUSE AS WELL AS
ESTABLISHMENT JOINT COMMITTEE TO SUPERVISE BILATERAL

TRADE EXCHANGE. EGYPT WILL EXPORT COTTON, PHOSPHATE, OIL,
SHOES, AND FURNITURE TO VIETNAM IN EXCHANGE FOR IMPORTS
OF WOOD, TEA, COFFEE, TOBACCO, TINNED FISH AND FROZEN
CHICKENS.
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